Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph (section) beginning on page 1, at line 3 as shown below:

This application claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application Serial No. serial numbers: 60/433,566 filed December 16, 2002; U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/441,194 filed January 21, 2003; U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/452,714 filed March 10, 2003; U.S. provisional application entitled "Hydraulic Regenerative System for Automotive Vehicles," mailed October 23, 2003; and U.S. provisional application entitled "Improvements in Floating Cup Hydraulic Machinery," mailed November 15, 2003. 60/514,983 filed October 29, 2003; and 60/523,337 filed November 20, 2003.